



ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT

SENATE AGENDA · 9TH MEETING

OCTOBER 29TH, 2012

- I. Call to Order at 7:02
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Orders of the Day
 - A. Motion to approve.
 - Senator D. Jones, moves.
 - Senator Kutras, seconds.
 - Motion carries.
- V. Approval of Minutes
 - A. Motion to approve.
 - Senator Elliot, moves.
 - Senator Belew, seconds.
 - Motion carries.
- VI. Guest Speakers
- VII. Public Forum
- VIII. Executive Reports
 - A. President Nathan McDaniel
 - Meeting with Dr. Trauth.
 - Round table results.
 - Freshman Council retreat this past Friday.
 - Results from consultant.
 - B. Special Assistant DeSalvo
 - Another engagement week coming up.
 - Review and Steering Commission
 - C. Sen. Pro Temp. Henley
- IX. Legislative Reports
 - A. Senator Belew—University Enhancement Committee Report
 - Working on research grant.
 - Veteran’s Space Legislation coming up.
 - Clean up for Strahan parking lot.
 - B. Senator Elliot—

- Potential solar panels installation legislation.
 - C. Senator Wortham
 - Alkek reserved rooms—monitoring use of rooms.
 - D. Senator Soloman
 - Potential medical service fee increase.
- X. Old Business
- A. S.R.F. 2012-2013/6- “A Resolution in Support of Making Alkek Stairs More Safe”
- Motion to consider this piece already read.
 1. Motion fails.
 - Authors’ speech.
 - Questions for authors.
 1. Senator Parker— what temporary solution do you suggest? Estimated cost?
 - a. For the time being, apply black grip tape.
 - b. \$.90–1.50 for per sq. foot.
 2. Senator K. Cook—could a “Caution” sign be added as a temporary solution?
 3. Senator Parker—is there a cap on how much facilities will be allowed to spend?
 4. Senator Perez— is black grip tape the main temporary solution being used.
 5. Senator Satterfield—would water abrasion be a potential issue?
 - Debate and Discussion
 1. Motion to adopt.
 - a. Senator Wortham, moves.
 - b. Senator Trexler, seconds.
 - c. Motion carries.
 2. Senator Dorn—
 - a. The stairs are marble, not granite—Texas Red Granite—should not cover with grip tape.
 - b. Issue at hand is the same as someone buying hot coffee, spilling it on themselves, and then suing the place of purchase.
 3. Senator Elliot—asks for more specifics.
 4. Motion to table.
 - a. Senator Parker, moves.
 - b. Senator Trexler, seconds.
 - c. Motion fails.
 5. Senator Stevens—why table a recommendation?
 6. Senator Herron—students with disabilities would benefit from the additional safety.
 7. Senator Dorn—all for safety but not to a point that would ruin the aesthetic of the stairs.
 8. Senator Acosta—black strips are just a suggestion.

9. Senator Trexler—friendly amendment to line 8 to change granite
10. Senator Satterfield—friendly amendment to add “non-defacing”
11. Call the previous question.
- 12.

XI. New Business

XII. Adjournment at 7:57 P.M.